

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINT, GT

SUBJECT: ELECTION REPORT NUMBER 2

REF: GUATEMALA 1208

1. AT 0200 GOG NATIONAL TELEVISION/RADIO REPORTED PARTIAL ELECTION RESULTS TALLING 32,324 WITH FOLLOWING BREAKDOWN: LAUGERUD-- 14,537; RIOS -- 11,210; PAIZ --6,577. ANNOUNCEMENT INCLUDED NO BREAKDOWN BY DEPARTMENTS. NATIONAL NET REPORTED AT SAME TIME THAT IN GUATEMALA CITY MAYORALITY RACE PONCIANO AND RUIZ(PADRE CHEMITA) ARE LEADING NECK AND NECK WITH ABOUT 11PERCENT OF MESAS TALLIED.

2. GOG APPEARS TO BE DELIVERATELY DELAYING REPORTING OF ELECTION RESULTS. WE HAVE NOTED MAYORALTY CONTEST RESULTS POSTED AT MUNICIPALITY AN HOUR BEFORE BROADCAST ON NATIONAL NET. MUNICIPALITY REPORTS OF CAPITAL CITY PRESIDENTIAL VOTE BREAKDOWN (RIOS 53PRCNT, LAUGERUD 29PRCNT AND PAIZ 16PRCNT OUT OF 19,00 VOTES) HAVE NOT BEEN REPEATED BY GOG TELEVISION/RADIO. EMBASSY RECORDS SHOW THAT IN 1970 RESULTS ANNOUNCED BY 0200 TOTALLED 116,000.

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3. CROWD IN FRONT OF MUNICIPALITY HAS DWINDLED TO LESS THAN A

HUNDRED. SMALL CROWDS MAINTAIN VIGIL AT ALL PARTY HEADQUARTERS.  
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